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1. On 14 October the following arms were loaded on the SS PRESIDENT GRANT:  
150 Beretta automatic pistols 6.35 caliber  
250 Beretta automatic pistols 7.62 caliber with 100 spare magazines  
100 Beretta automatic pistols 7 (short) caliber with 100 spare mags.  
The shipment came from the Pietro BERETTA firm of Gardone Valtrompia and were consigned to the Herber Corporation of New York.

2. On 14 October the following arms were loaded on the Norwegian vessel NYRAND:  
70 mortars  
50,000 bombs (not letter identified)  
50,000 fuses  
50,000 fundamental charges  
150,000 additional charges  
The shipment came from the Ostione Stabilimenti Industriali di Milano and were consigned to the Sellers Co. of New York.

3. On 20 October the following arms were loaded on the Italian vessel STROBOLI:  
100 Galcci pistols 6.35 caliber  
60 Galcci revolvers 32 caliber  
40 Galcci revolvers 38 caliber  
The shipment came from the Galcci Arms Plant of Collebeato (Brescia) and were consigned to George Rose, 4429 South Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles 13, California.

4. On 20 October 60 cases containing 150,000 20 mm shells were loaded on the Dutch ship HANJONGEPO. The shells came from the Badco firm of Buitenzorg, West Java, Indonesia, and were consigned to the Indonesian Ministry of Defense, Djakarta, Indonesia.

5. On 29 October the following arms were loaded on the Danish vessel HELVIG:  
100 Galcci pistols 6.35 caliber from the Galcci firm of Collebeato (Brescia) consigned to the Omega Import Co. 307 Fifth Ave., NYC.

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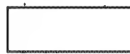
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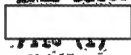
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- 6 Beretta pistols 22 caliber from the Beretta firm of Gardone Valtrompia (Brescia) consigned to Cercallo Limitada of Beira, Portuguese East Africa.
  - 100 Bernardelli pistols 6.35 caliber from the Bernardelli plant of Gardone Valtrompia consigned to the CIMOT firm of Port Elisabeth South Africa.
  - 50 Bernardelli pistols 6.35 caliber from the Bernardelli firm of Gardone Valtrompia consigned to Durban LTD, Durban, South Africa.
  - 100 Bernardelli pistols 6.35 caliber from the Bernardelli firm to the CIMOT firm of Johannesburg, South Africa.
6. On 30 October the following arms were loaded on the SS ALBATROSS:
- 500 Beretta automatic pistols 6.35 caliber
  - 200 Beretta automatic pistols 22 short caliber.

It is reported in Genet Port circles that the International Port Congress originally scheduled for 24 October at Budapest has been postponed until 30 November at the request of the French and Italian port unions. The convention will still be held in Budapest and will take the form of a "Congress of Social Studies." It is reported that the Italian delegation will number from 12 to 15 delegates.

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